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Personal Mention

Brother A. R. Bemenderfer takes charge of the Elkhart church April 1.

Brother J. M. Bowman expects to preach for the Miamisburg people, April 8 and 9.

When at home, the address of sister Vianna Detwiler, President of the S. S. C. E., is Ridgely, Md.

On Thursday afternoon March 30, Brother Keifer baptized a man and wife, and received them into the Fair Haven church by special request of the applicants.

We acknowledge the receipt of one dollar each from Brother Neilson, Herrington, Kansas, and Sister Wertz, Crestline, Ohio, for the publication of Brother Talley's tract.

Sabbath morning, April 2, in the College chapel, as an Easter sermon, Brother Miller preached on "The Argument for the Resurrection of Jesus." We regret not having been able to hear it.

Brother David H. Pfeideser, Sydney, Ind., has EVANGELIST, which accompanied his renewal. Indeed our thanks for a very kind letter in reference to the we thank all our friends for the encouraging letters to the editor. They do us good.

In renewing his subscription, Brother Cost speaks in the highest terms of the ministry of Brother Tombaugh at Hagerstown. We appreciate the kind words which accompany Brother Cost's letter. The verse of poetry in German is especially appreciated.

During vacation week Brother Yoder preached a series of sermons on The Kingdom of God, the people showing great interest in the subject. We do not wonder at this, for it is a great subject and in the hands of Brother Yoder, the people could not but be interested.

Brother Welty and family arrived at Louisville, Thursday, March 30. They are now comfortably domiciled in the parsonage. On Easter day, April 2, Brother Welty preached his first sermon in the new charge. We trust his labors among these people may be as pleasant and as successful as they were at Bryan.

"God so loved the world" is a justly popular text, but "God so loved me" might be a more frequent and more profitable meditation.

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Program Ohio Conference, to be held at Louisville, June 8, 9, 10, 11, 1899.

Following is the arrangement of the program for the first session beginning Thursday, 1 P. M.

Devotional Services by the President.

Organization.

Appointment of Committee on Credentials.

Enrollment of Delegates.

Appointment of Committee on Committees.

Three minute talks by delegates.

Moderator's report.

(TO BE ARRANGED BY PROGRAM COMMITTEE.)

Prayer Meetings, J. M. Bowman.

The Missionary Spirit in the Old and New Testaments, (two periods,) J. A. Miller.

Report of schools.

Why Some Young Men are not in the Sunday School, Perry Clapper.

The Model Sunday School with an Object Lesson in Teaching, A. D. Gnagey.

Report of the S. S. C. E.

How to Raise Money for the S. S. C. E., Mrs. John Keim.

How to Use the Funds of the S. S. C. E., Mrs. A. D. Gnagey.

An Ideal Society, Mrs. Sarah Keim.

Possibilities of the Young People, Mrs. J. Allen Miller.

The Life More Abundant, Z. H. Copp.

Report of Committee on Church Organization.

Education, L. L. Garber.

Our Publishing Interests. General discussion.

Report of Mission Board.

Report of State Evangelist.

The Dayton Mission.

Paper. Missions, J. L. Kimmel.

Saturday evening. Sermon, Z. H. Copp.

SABBATH SERVICES

Sabbath School, 9:30.

Preaching Service, 10:30. Sermon, J. A. Miller.

Young People's Rally, afternoon.

Evening sermon, A. D. Gnagey.

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Matrimonial

SECRIST—GRISSE.—At the home of A. Grisso in North Webster, Ind., March 16, occurred the marriage of their daughter Rose to Arthur Secrist. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. C. Cramer in the presence of Brother Grisso's Sunday-school class. May the Lord bless them in their journey thro life
S. C. CRAMER.

MASON—KRIEDER.—Brother Hirom Mason and sister Bessie Krieder, both of the Auburn Junction class were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents on March 18, 1899. Only a few friends were present. May God bless them in all future work is the prayer of their pastor.
L. O. HUBBARD.

HILLEGAS—FOUST.—By the undersigned at the residence of the parents of the bride on Tuesday March 14, 1899. Albert J. Hellegas of Berlin and Miss Ada F. Foust were joined in holy matrimony. May God's blessing go with them thro life.
M. C. MEYERS.

Our Dead

JONES.—In the Claypool congregation, our esteemed brother, Milton W. Jones, was born Dec. 22, 1849, died March 9, 1899, aged 49 years, 2 months and 17 days. Brother Jones leaves a wife and three children, one son and two daughters, four sisters, two brothers to mourn their loss. He united with the Brethren church in 1894, since which time he has lived a consistent and devoted Christian life. In his last moment he said he was ready to go, and earnestly requested his relatives one and all to live faithful and meet him on the other shore. Funeral by the undersigned at the Presbyterian church in Packerton Ind., March 11, 1899. The entire relatives have our sympathy in their sad bereavement.

D. A. HOPKINS.

Kanemorado Echoes

After a little over two weeks of sojourn with the good people of Portis, Kans., the dedication of their meeting house over and meetings concluded with no results, but the reviving of the membership and reorganizing of the King's Children, with established appointments for preaching twice each month, we left them for Nevada, Mo., to hold a few meetings with our beloved Brother and Sister Myers, who are such regular contributors to our mission fund. Arrived Tuesday night of the 21st instant. Found an appointment waiting for the evening of the 22nd. The audience was fair and steadily increased for four evenings with increasing interest. But rain, sleet, snow and Missouri mud has almost brought everything to a standstill. The roads, which were bad enough on my arrival have become since the rain and snow fell, simply impassible. Hence the attendance for the last few evenings has been reduced